

Washington, DC - Harry Teague announced Thursday that the Navajo Refining Company in Artesia, New Mexico, has been awarded a contract with the Department of Defense. The \$6.9 million contract to provide turbine fuel to the agency to meet aviation needs will last through the end of the year.

“New Mexico’s oil and gas industries are an essential part of our local economy,” said Harry Teague. “Bringing federal contracts like this one will not only stimulate but create more jobs by helping local producers and refiners continue to expand.”

The Artesia facility of the Navajo Refining Company has the ability to process a range of crude oils into gasoline, jet fuel, and diesel fuel and other high value light products, which are distributed by pipeline to markets in surrounding states and metropolitan areas.

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